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RADIATION IMAGE CONVERSION PANEL AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING

RADIATION IMAGE CONVERSION PANEL

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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In response to the Office Action dated January 2, 2003, please further amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following new claims:

25. (New) A radiation image conversion panel obtained by the method of

manufacturing a radiation image conversion panel in which a stimulable phosphor-containing 003 AJOHNSO1 00000009 194880 09449625 coating solution, which contains at least a stimulable phosphor and a binder, is applied to a support by use of an extrusion coater such that the film thickness of a coated film of the stimulable phosphor-containing coating solution is in the range of from 300 to 800 µm

wherein the stimulable phosphor-containing coating solution is applied such that a gap A (µm) between a discharge opening at the tip of the extrusion coater and the support, and a film